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SUBSTRACTION IMAGES FOR MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 2, 2007, Applicant submits the following.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Restriction Requirement, thereby moving the deadline for response from May 2, 2007 to June 2, 2007 (which is a Saturday).